

2 December 1986

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, FBIS
FROM : Chief, Vienna Bureau
THROUGH : Chief, Operations Group
SUBJECT : Monthly Report - Austria Bureau - November 1986

I. GENERAL

1. Total wordage produced via the bureau's VLAN topped October's figure by almost 100,000 words, rising from 253,520 to 350,080, including 126,010 words in English-language press agency traffic that needed no rekeying. The total VLAN figure represents 43 percent of the total wordage filed by the bureau in November, despite some hiccups in the system noted below.

2. The U.S. delegation to the CSCE conference, which opened in Vienna on 4 November, advised the bureau that it wished to receive wirefiled FBIS materials on a variety of subjects. Arrangements were made with Liaison to provide the service.

II. OPERATIONS

A. Monitorial/Editorial

1. The highlight of the month was the 3-8 November Albanian party congress, the first since the death of long time Albanian leader Enver Hoxha. According to the bureau's two Albanian section monitors, who did an outstanding job in covering the congress and processing the large amounts of materials that emerged, the congress produced no great surprises.

2. A fourth monitorial section -- the Yugoslav -- was added to the VLAN on 12 November, bringing the number of monitorial units with direct access to the system to three. Shortly after this event, however, a problem with the system involving apparent PC workstation "lock up" developed. Reported to ADD in two rather lengthy administrative messages, the jury is still deliberating the likely cause or causes of this phenomenon. The initial diagnosis -- NIM (Network Interface Module) failure -- has been ruled out, as suspected bad boards have functioned normally when moved to other workstations. High on our list of

causes is system overload, as the lock ups have been localized to one PC -- that located in the CSSR section -- and happen at about the same time each day (3-4 pm), when the system is being most heavily used. Nevertheless, the VLAN has been and continues to be a definite boon to bureau operations.

B. Communications

1. As with previous status reports, the bureau is still awaiting installation of its 300-baud communications circuit. As of the end of the month, the bureau is awaiting the arrival of the necessary modems and for the [] computer which will handle the bureau's traffic, to be reprogrammed.

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2. Movement on the upgrade of the VCVC duplex line between AU and London Bureau from 75 to 150 baud went ahead, however, with the arrival of the modems needed for the higher baud rate. The bureau is now awaiting word on the dates of the visit BBC engineer Vernon Smith will make to the bureau to install the equipment, probably late January.

III. VISITS

1. To the bureau:

a. FBIS Security Officer [] visited the bureau 3-7 November. Several security upgrades for the bureau were suggested, and estimates are now being obtained on the cost of these enhancements.

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b. ADD Deputy Chief [] visited the bureau 5-8 November with three members of LEC management. The team studied the VLAN system in operation with a view toward working with the bureau on upgrading and completing automation at Austrian Bureau and ultimately installing a similar system at all field bureaus.

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c. Czech and Hungarian monitors briefed a visiting Headquarters analyst on 17 November.

2. From the bureau:

Regional Engineer [] paid a regular maintenance visit to Brindisi 2-8 November. His visit coincided with the Albanian Communist Party Congress, which he was able to record while on site.

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Chief, Austrian Bureau

cc: Chief, FBIS London Bureau

Attachments:

Production Report
Staff Personnel Report
Non-Staff Personnel Report

Austrian Bureau Production Report for November 1986

I. TOTALS FROM ALL SOURCES:

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| TOTAL PUBLISHABLE WORDAGE FILED DURING MONTH: | 786,900 |
| TOTAL NON-PUBLISHABLE WORDAGE FILED DURING MONTH: | 23,760 |
| TOTAL NUMBER OF PUBLISHABLE ITEMS FILED DURING MONTH: | 1,370 |

| | BROAD- CASTS | PRESS AGENCIES | PUBLI- CATIONS |
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| II. INPUT OF REGULAR COVERAGE: (minutes or issues per week) | 12,275 min. | 15,015 min. | 322.91 issues |

III. OUTPUT FROM ALL SOURCES:
(publishable words per month)

ALBANIA

| | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|
| Tirana Domestic Service in Albanian | 38,550 | | |
| Tirana ATA in English | | 43,450 | |
| Tirana BASHKIMI in Albanian | | | 560 |
| Tirana DRITA in Albanian | | | 0 |
| Tirana PUNA in Albanian | | | 0 |
| Tirana RRUGA E PARTISE in Albanian | | | 0 |
| Tirana ZERI I POPULLIT in Albanian | | | 93,400 |
| Tirana ZERI I RINISE in Albanian | | | 0 |

AUSTRIA

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|--|-------|--|-------|
| Vienna Domestic Service in German | 9,300 | | |
| Vienna ORF TELETEXT in German | 2,660 | | |
| Vienna Television Service in German | 7,270 | | |
| Vienna ARBEITER ZEITUNG in German | | | 3,620 |
| Vienna BASTA in German | | | 0 |
| Vienna DIE PRESSE in German | | | 6,630 |
| Vienna FALTER in German | | | 0 |

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| | BROAD- CASTS | PRESS AGENCIES | PUBLI- CATIONS |
|--|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Vienna KURIER in German | | | 2,610 |
| Vienna NEUE KRONEN ZEITUNG in German | | | 0 |
| Vienna PROFIL in German | | | 2,130 |
| Vienna VOLKSSTIMME in German | | | 2,210 |
| Vienna WIENER ZEITUNG in German | | | 4,780 |
| BULGARIA | | | |
| Sofia Domestic Service in Bulgarian | 10,130 | | |
| Sofia BTA in English | | 25,020 | |
| Sofia ANTENI in Bulgarian | | | 0 |
| Sofia LITERATUREN FRONT in Bulgarian | | | 0 |
| Sofia NARODNA ARMIYA in Bulgarian | | | 3,450 |
| Sofia NARODNA MLADZHZH in Bulgarian | | | 960 |
| Sofia NOVO VREME in Bulgarian | | | 0 |
| Sofia OTECHESTVEN FRONT in Bulgarian | | | 7,620 |
| Sofia POGLED in Bulgarian | | | 0 |
| Sofia RABOTNICHESKO DELO in Bulgarian | | | 33,610 |
| Sofia TRUD in Bulgarian | | | 2,990 |
| Sofia ZEMEDEL'SKO ZNAME in Bulgarian | | | 160 |
| CHINA | | | |
| Beijing International Service in Albanian | | | 0 |
| Beijing International Service in Serbo-Croatian | | | 400 |
| CZECHOSLOVAKIA | | | |
| Prague Television Service in Czech and Slovak | | | 810 |
| Prague LIDOVA DEMOKRACIE in Czech | | | 0 |

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| | BROAD- CASTS | PRESS AGENCIES | PUBLI- CATIONS |
|---|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Prague MLADA FRONTA in Czech | | | 1,270 |
| Prague NOVA MYSL in Czech | | | 0 |
| Prague PRACE in Czech | | | 1,100 |
| Prague RUDE PRAVO in Czech | | | 42,220 |
| Prague TRIBUNA in Czech | | | 3,120 |
| Prague VECERNI PRAHA in Czech | | | 0 |
| Prague ZEMEDELSKE NOVINY in Czech | | | 500 |
| Bratislava PRAVDA in Slovak | | | 28,370 |
| Bratislava ROLNICKE NOVINY in Slovak | | | 0 |
| Bratislava SMENA in Slovak | | | 2,600 |
| Bratislava VECERNIK in Slovak | | | 0 |
| FRANCE | | | |
| Paris AFP in English | | 54,140 | |
| GDR | | | |
| East Berlin BERLINER ZEITUNG in German | | | 580 |
| East Berlin DER MORGEN in German | | | 1,370 |
| East Berlin EINHEIT in German | | | 1,220 |
| East Berlin HORIZONT in German | | | 1,940 |
| East Berlin NATIONAL ZEITUNG in German | | | 0 |
| East Berlin NEUE ZEIT in German | | | 0 |
| East Berlin NEUES DEUTSCHLAND in German | | | 20,210 |
| HUNGARY | | | |
| Budapest Television Service in Hungarian | 0 | | |
| Budapest MAGYAR HIRLAP in Hungarian | | | 10,400 |

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| | BROAD- CASTS | PRESS AGENCIES | PUBLI- CATIONS |
|--|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Budapest MAGYAR NEMZET in Hungarian | | | 2,630 |
| Budapest MAGYARORSZAG in Hungarian | | | 910 |
| Budapest NEPSZABADSAG in Hungarian | | | 39,390 |
| Budapest NEPSZAVA in Hungarian | | | 1,600 |
| Budapest PARTELET in Hungarian | | | 0 |
| Budapest TARSADALMI SZEMLE in Hungarian | | | 0 |
| ITALY | | | |
| Rome ANSA in English | | 14,930 | |
| POLAND | | | |
| Paris ZNAKI CZASU in Polish | | | 0 |
| Warsaw KULTURA in Polish | | | 0 |
| Warsaw NOWE DROGI in Polish | | | 770 |
| Warsaw POLITYKA in Polish | | | 190 |
| Warsaw PRZEGLAD KATOLICKI in Polish | | | 480 |
| Warsaw RZECZPOSPOLITA in Polish | | | 17,890 |
| Warsaw RZECZYWISTOC in Polish | | | 2,000 |
| Warsaw SLOWO POWSZECHNE in Polish | | | 1,720 |
| Warsaw SZTANDAR MLODYCH in Polish | | | 5,530 |
| Warsaw TRYBUNA LUDU in Polish | | | 23,830 |
| Warsaw ZOLNIERZ WOLNOSCI in Polish | | | 1,490 |
| Warsaw ZYCIE PARTII in Polish | | | 0 |
| Warsaw ZYCIE WARSZAWY in Polish | | | 2,980 |
| Krakow TYGODNIK POWSZECHNY in Polish | | | 2,480 |
| ROMANIA | | | |
| Bucharest Domestic Service in Romanian | | 8,570 | |

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| | BROAD- CASTS | PRESS AGENCIES | PUBLI- CATIONS |
|--|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Bucharest AGERPRES in English | | 45,530 | |
| Bucharest AGERPRES in French | | 0 | |
| Bucharest ERA SOCIALISTA in Romanian | | | 1,450 |
| Bucharest LUMEA in Romanian | | | 1,120 |
| Bucharest ROMANIA LIBERA in Romanian | | | 0 |
| Bucharest SCINTEIA in Romanian | | | 35,000 |
| USSR | | | |
| Moscow in Albanian to Albania | 1,480 | | |
| Moscow in Bulgarian to Bulgaria | 0 | | |
| Moscow in Macedonian to Yugoslavia | 0 | | |
| Moscow in Romanian to Romania | 0 | | |
| Moscow in Slovene to Yugoslavia | 0 | | |
| Moscow ISTORIYA SSSR in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow KOMMUNIST VOORUZHENNYKH SIL in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow KOMMUNIST in Russian | | | 26,400 |
| Moscow MEZHDUNARODNAYA ZHIZN in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow MIROVAYA EKONOMIKA I MEZHDUNARODNYYE OTNOSHENIYA in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow MOSKOVSKAYA PRAVDA in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow OBNCHESTVENNYYE NAUKI in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow PARTIYNAYA ZHIZN in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow PLANOVOYE KHOZYAYSTVO in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow POLITICHESKOYE SAMOOBRAZOVANIYE in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow PROBLEMY DALNEGO VOSTOKA in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow PROBLEMY MIRA I SOTSIALIZMA in Russian | | | 0 |

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|---|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Moscow RABOCHIY KLAS I SOVREMENNY MIR in Russian | | | 8,930 |
| Moscow SOTSIOLOGICHESKIYE ISSLEDOVANIYA in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow SSHA: EKONOMIKA, POLITIKA, IDEOLOGIYA in Russian | | | 6,250 |
| Moscow VOPROSY EKONOMIKI in Russian | | | 6,410 |
| Moscow VOPROSY FILOSOPII in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow VOPROSY ISTORII KPSS in Russian | | | 8,800 |
| Moscow VOPROSY ISTORII in Russian | | | 760 |
| Moscow VOYENNO-ISTORICHESKIY ZHURNAL in Russian | | | 0 |
| Moscow ZHURNALIST in Russian | | | 0 |
| Kiev PRAVDA UKRAINY in Russian | | | 6,670 |
| Kiev RADYANSKA UKRAINA in Ukrainian | | | 1,520 |
| YUGOSLAVIA | | | |
| Belgrade Domestic Service in Serbo-Croatian | 5,900 | | |
| Pristina Domestic Service in Albanian | 80 | | |
| Pristina Domestic Service in Serbo-Croatian | 280 | | |
| Belgrade Television Service in Serbo-Croatian | 0 | | |
| Belgrade TANJUG DOMESTIC SERVICE in Serbo-Croatian | | 900 | |
| Belgrade TANJUG in English | | 0 | |
| Belgrade BORBA in Serbo-Croatian | | | 18,880 |
| Belgrade KOMUNIST in Serbo-Croatian | | | 0 |
| Belgrade NARODNA ARMIJA in Serbo-Croatian | | | 2,280 |
| Belgrade NIN in Serbo-Croatian | | | 0 |
| Belgrade POLITIKA in Serbo-Croatian | | | 8,550 |

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| Belgrade SOCIALIZAM in Serbo-Croatian | | 0 |
| Ljubljana DELO in Slovene | | 0 |
| Novi Sad DNEVNIK in Serbo-Croatian | | 0 |
| Pristina RILINDJA in Albanian | | 960: |
| Sarajevo OSLOBODJENJE in Serbo-Croatian | | 0 |
| Skopje NOVA MAKEDONIJA in Macedonian | | 0 |
| Titograd POBJEDA in Serbo-Croatian | | 0 |
| Zagreb DANAS in Serbo-Croatian | | 0 |
| Zagreb VJESNIK in Serbo-Croatian | | 0 |